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Peterſburg, September 2.

THE Grand General of Poland took Leave of the Empreſs on Wedneſday laſt, when her Imperial Majeſty was pleaſed to honor him with the Order of St. Andrew.

Berlin, September 17. His Pruſſian Majeſty, accompanied by the Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick, arrived here laſt Wedneſday at Six in the Morning, and was preſent at the Manoeuvres of the whole Corps of Artillery at a little Diſtance from this Place: His Majeſty afterwards paid a Viſit to the Princeſs Amelia, and returned to Potzdam in the Afternoon.

War-Office, September 26, 1774.

Royals, 2d Battalion, Enſign John Campbell is appointed to be Lieutenant, vice John Cochran, preferred; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, George Katen Kamp, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Campbell; by Purchaſe.

3d Regiment of Foot, Andrew Tucker, Clerk, to be Chaplain, vice George Routh; by Purchaſe.

13th Regiment of Foot, George James Hamilton, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Alexander Penroſe Cuming; by Purchaſe.

18th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Edward Croſby, from Half Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice John Hamilton; who exchanges.

30th Regiment of Foot, Charles Cracroft, Gent. to be Enſign, vice George Rutherford; by Purchaſe.

32d Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William Moncrieffe to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Joſeph Ramage; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Enſign William Doughty to be Lieutenant, vice William Moncrieffe; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Jenkin Lewis, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Caroline Robert Herbert; by Purchaſe.

64th Regiment of Foot, —— Shawe, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Thomas Blood; preferred.

St. James's, September, 1774.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That, in the Night between the 31ſt of Auguſt and the 1ſt Inſtant, ſome Perſons unknown broke in at one of the Windows in the Long Room of His Majeſty's Cuſtom-Houſe at Plymouth, and broke open the Cuſtomer's, Comptroller's, and four other Desks; in one of which was depoſited upwards of Six Pounds, Private Property, which was feloniouſly taken and carried away, and a File and an Iron Draw-Pin, uſed by Carpenters, (both which appear to have been ſtole the ſame Night out of a Tool-Cheſt lodged in a Shipwright's Yard) were left behind.

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Offence, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt Gracious Pardon to any one of them who ſhall diſcover his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And as a further Encouragement, the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms do hereby promiſe a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to the Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery; to be paid by the Receiver-General of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Edward Stanley, *Secretary.*

St. James's, September 24, 1774.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that in the Night of the 31ſt of July laſt, the Houſe erected on Lanherne Downs, in the Pariſh of Mawgaw in the County of Cornwall, containing the Tools and Implements neceſſary for carrying on the Mawgaw Porth Canal, was wilfully and maliciouſly ſet on Fire and burnt, together with the Timber placed on the Saw-Pit, and ſeveral other Pieces of Timber of Oak, Elm, and Balk, lying on the Lands adjoining to the Canal, which were likewiſe collected together and burnt: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in ſetting Fire to and burning the ſaid Houſe and Timber, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any Perſon or Perſons concerned in ſetting Fire to and burning the ſaid Houſe and Timber, (except the Perſon or Perſons who actually ſet Fire to the ſaid Houſe and Timber) who ſhall diſcover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And, as a farther Encouragement, Mr. John Edyvean, of St. Auſtell in the ſaid County of Cornwall, doth hereby promiſe a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Mercers Hall, London, September 27, 1774.

THE Wardens and Commonalty of the Myſtery of Mercers of the City of London, in Purſuance of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the 21ſt Year of the Reign of His late Majeſty King George the Second, do hereby deſire their ſeveral Annuitants, or any Perſon duly authoriſed by any Writing under their Hands, to meet at Mercers Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 2d of November next, (being the firſt Wedneſday in that Month) at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to nominate and appoint Nine or more Perſons to audit and examine the Accounts of the Receipts and Payments by the ſaid Act directed to be audited and examined.

W. Cawne, *Clerk.*

[Price Three-Pence.]

East-India House, August 24, 1774.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 28th of September next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

Trinity House, London, September 24, 1774.

WHereas several Vessels coming into the River Thames have run foul of the Light-Vessel placed at the Nore Sand, for the Safety of Navigation, whereby she has frequently received considerable Damage: This Corporation recommend it to the Masters of all Ships to be cautious of doing any Injury to the said Light Vessel, as the Security of Navigation and Commerce may be much affected by their Inattention.

Victualling-Office, September 26, 1774.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 26th of October next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Leith, Leith Road, and the Firth of Edinburgh, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling-Office, London, or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Leith.

And all Persons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the said Occasion are desired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that shall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the said 26th of October next.

This Days is published,

(Price 1s. 6d.)

A CATALOGUE of the very CURIOUS LIBRARY of the late Dr. ANTHONY ASKEW. Catalogues to be had a Paris chez J. B. Gibert, Hotel de Cluny, Rue des Mathurins St. Jaques; et Amsterdam chez Marc Michel Rey.

BY His Majesty's Royal Letters Patent, is made and sold, by JOHN ANDREW, Surveyor in the Excise, (Patentee) at his Warehouse only, in Golden Lion-court, Aldersgate-street, London, A New-invented SCALE BEAM, regulated by the present Standar for weighing Gold or Silver Coin, Statically or Hydrostatically; it proves the good and detects the base Coin, whether cased, diminished, or improperly alloyed, and with the greatest Truth and Certainty demonstrates to the meanest Capacity the exact Quantity of Standard Gold contained in any Gold Coin: This Machine is almost as light and portable as a Penknife. N. B. To prevent Impositions, "John Andrew, Patentee," is stampt on the Beam; and whoever shall give him Information of any Person or Persons making, vending, imitating, or counterfeiting the said Machine, shall be amply rewarded.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Grammar, of Oxford-street in the County of Middlesex, Hoser, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 4th and 28th Days of October next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 8th Day of November following at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Christopher Cowper, in Carey-street near Lincoln's inn.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Merrington, late of Yarm in the County of Norfolk, but now of Norton in the County of Durham, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of November next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Reeve, Andrews Reeve, and Jeremiah Hill, all late of the City of Bristol, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 27th Day of October next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Bush Tavern, in Corn-street, Bristol, in order to make a Dividend of the separate Estate and Effects of the said Andrews Reeve; when and where the separate Creditors of the said Andrews Reeve, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Charles Frederick Hempel, of Lemon-street, Goodman's-fields, in the County of Middlesex, Tobacco-merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 8th of November next, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Parsons, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Parsons hath in all Things conformed according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 18th of October next.

THE following Persons being Prisoners for Debt, in the respective Prisons, or Goals, hereafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, passed in the Fourteenth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and for the Relief of Bankrupts in certain Cases*; at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Division, City, Town, Liberty or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after THIRTY Days from the FIRST Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

Prisoner in the Gaol for the County of BRECON.

Third Notice.

William Jones, formerly of Earnisley in the County of Hereford, late of Clyroe in the County of Radnor, Farmer.

Prisoner in the Common Gaol or Prison of the County of CARMARTHEN.

Second Notice.

Josiah Walters, late of St. Clare in the County of Carmarthen, Shopkeeper.

Priſoner in the KING's BENCH Priſon, in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

Thomas Arundell, formerly of Kenſington Gravel Pits, late of Iſlington, both in the County of Middleſex, Gentleman.

THE following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on the TWENTY-EIGHTH Day of APRIL, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Seventy-four, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Goalers or Keepers of the reſpective Priſons or Goals hereafter-mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, paſſed in the Fourteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors; and for the Relief of Bankrupts in certain Caſes*; at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Diviſion, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after THIRTY Days from the FIRST Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of Whitechapel Goal in the County of Middleſex.

Third Notice.

Thomas Beſt, formerly of Wapping High-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. John Wapping in the County of Middleſex, late of New York, Mariner.

Fugitive in the Borough Goal of LIVERPOOL in the County of Lancaſter.

Third Notice.

Lawrence Winſtanley, formerly of Liverpool in the County Palatine of Lancaſter, late of Philadelphia in Britiſh America, Mariner.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the NEW GOAL in the County of Surry.

Second Notice.

William Moriſon, formerly of Charter-houſe-lane in the County of Middleſex, late of Rotterdam in Holland, Chapman and Dealer in Skins.

Third Notice.

Peter Pearſe, (and not Peter Pearce, as mentioned in the firſt Notices by Miſtake) formerly of Rotherhithe in the County of Surry, late of Barbadoes in America, Mariner.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the POULTRY Compter, in the City of London.

Second Notice.

Chriſtopher Raily, formerly of the Pariſh of St. Paul Shadwell in the County of Middleſex, late of Tobago, Victualler.

Juda Jacobs Courlander, formerly of Ebenezer-ſquare Houndſditch in the City of London, late of Amſterdam in Holland, Dealer and Chapman.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of WOODSTREET Compter, in the City of London.

First Notice.

William Atkins, formerly of Bevis-marks St. Mary Axe in the City of London, late of the Iſland of Guernſey, Bucklemaker.

Third Notice.

Aron Lyon, formerly of Swanſea in Wales, late of Normandy, Dealer and Chapman.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Warden of His Majeſty's Priſon of the FLEET.

First Notice.

William Fletcher, formerly of Greenwich in the County of Kent, late of St. Vincent's in the Weſt Indies, Mariner.

Second Notice.

Richard Raulings, formerly of the Red Lion, Iſlington Road, in the Pariſh of St. James Clerkenwell in the County of Middleſex, late of Dublin in Ireland, Sword Cutler.

Lucy Pranker, formerly of Lower Brook-ſtreet Groſvenor-ſquare in the County of Middleſex, late of Paris in France, Milliner.

Third Notice.

David Booth, formerly of Hollowayſend in the County of Staffordſhire, late of Calais in France, Potter.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the KING's BENCH Priſon in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

John Weſton, formerly of Wardour-ſtreet Soho, late of Philadelphia in North America, Commiſſion.

Charles Roſs, formerly of Shadwell in the County of Middleſex, late of Madraſs in the Eaſt Indies, Mariner.

Paulet St. John, formerly of Bedford in the County of Bedford, late of Dunkirk in France, Practitioner in Phyſic.

Second Notice.

William Horn, formerly of Rocheſter in the County of Kent, late of Frinsbury in the ſaid County, Victualler.

Third Notice.

Thomas Culverwell, formerly of the Pariſh of Marchwood in the County of Dorſet, late of Barnſtaple in the County of Devon, Farmer.

John Colerick, formerly of the Pariſh of Shadwell in the County of Middleſex, late of Dublin in Ireland, Victualler.

Thomas Stokes, formerly of Birmingham in Warwickſhire, late of Bilſon in Staffordſhire, Iron Plate-worker.

Richard Green, formerly of Newport in the Iſle of Wight, late of Madraſs in the Eaſt Indies, Clerk.

Thomas Inſley, formerly of Barnaby-ſtreet Southwark in the County of Surry, Cheeſemonger, late of Dublin.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of the BOROUGH Compter in Southwark in the County of Surry.

Second Notice.

William Stevenſon, formerly of Tooley-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. John Southwark in the County of Surry, late of Calais, Butcher.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of the Gaol or Priſon of BURY St. EDMUND's in the County of Suffolk.

First Notice.

Joſeph Nichols, formerly of St. Ives in the County of Huntingdon, late of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk, Boatwright.

Second Notice.

Joſeph Nichols, (and not John Nichols, as mentioned in the firſt Notice by Miſtake) formerly of St. Ives in the County of Huntingdon, late of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk, Boatwright.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find, on the Peruſal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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